

DECORATIONS WILL
BE BIG FEATURE
OF CELEBRATION

SHORT DECORATING CO. OF CHICAGO WILL BE IN CHARGE OF THE WORK.

MAYOR ASKS PEOPLE TO HELP

Issues Proclamation to Citizens Of Dixon Requesting General Activities.

The decorating of the business section of Dixon for the big patriotic celebration which will be held here Monday, July 5, will commence early next week, under the direction of the special committee, of which R. W. Thompson is chairman, and it is hoped to have the city attired in the national colors more tastily and more profusely than ever before.

A. B. Wooten of the W. A. Short Decorating company of Chicago, which company will do the work for the committee and for a majority of the business men, arrived in Dixon last evening to confer with the committee, and he has outlined the elaborate work he will do in eight blocks which the committee will decorate.

Have Fine Material.
The Short company has some exceptionally fine material for the kind of work and Mr. Wooten has promised the very best his company has.

The city authorities are putting their shoulders to the wheel with most commendable spirit and everything the municipality of Dixon can do to assist in the big celebration will be done.

Mayor's Proclamation.
Mayor Schmidt has issued the following proclamation asking every citizen of Dixon to take an active and personal interest in the coming event:

"We Americans and coming Americans, safe in the peace, prosperity and strength of our country, should express as one people our appreciation of these blessings.

Therefore, I proclaim July 5, 1915, as Americanization Day in Dixon, and ask that we celebrate the day by gathering at the Haymarket Square at high noon to express our gratitude as American citizens by singing "The Star Spangled Banner," accompanied by the bands. To my mind song is the most inspiring way to express our feeling and our allegiance as Americans.

"We can also make the day we celebrate a real patriotic American Day by beautiful decorations. We can, and I have every reason to believe we will, show our true American spirit by decorating our homes and places of business. If we do all this we will have renewed our pledge of allegiance to our flag and to the republic for which it stands: one nation, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

"Respectfully yours,
HENRY SCHMIDT,
Mayor."

HAS THOUSAND GRADUATES

University of Michigan Awards Many Diplomas Today

(Associated Press)
Ann Arbor, Mich., June 24—A thousand graduates received diplomas at the seventy-first annual commencement exercises of the University of Michigan.

President Wilson Sends Thanks
To Illinois Elks' Association

Elks throughout Illinois are interested in and proud of the reply of President Wilson to the communication of the State Elks' Association pledging him the unwavering loyalty and united support of the Elks of Illinois in whatever measures he may see fit to take to maintain the honor of the United States and the rights of American citizens.

Adopted Resolution.
The note of the President followed the passage of the following resolutions at the recent meeting of the State Association of Elks:
Hon. Woodrow Wilson,
President of the United States,
Washington, D. C.
I have the honor to transmit you the following resolution which was

THE WEATHER

Thursday, June 24 1915



Local Temperatures.	Max.	Min.	Prec.
Sunday	63	55	.28
Monday	73	57	

Manual Training
Added To Dixon
High School Course

Board Of Education Engaged Four Teachers At Meeting Wednesday

The board of education of the south side public schools held an adjourned meeting last evening for the purpose of receiving bids on the year's supply of coal as well as to receive the report of the teacher's committee as to teachers to fill vacancies.

At the meeting it was decided to add domestic science to the course of study in the high school. Last year a complete manual training course was added for the boys and it was felt that a domestic science course should now be added for the girls. Miss Kristofferson of Elgin was employed as teacher in this department. She is a graduate of the Bradley Technical Institute and for a year was instructor in the Baldwin Institute in Kansas. On account of being so far from home and her mother's health not being good she has not taught the past year.

Dixon Ladies Engaged.
Miss Dorothy Armington of this city was elected to the chair of English in the high school. She graduated from the Dixon school five years ago and recently completed a course in the state university at Champaign.

Miss Dolly Fauth of this city was chosen to fill the position of teacher in the fifth grade at the E. C. Smith building. She likewise is a graduate of the city schools and has had four years' experience in teaching.

Miss Almyra Danciel of Lena has accepted the position of instructor in English and reading in the departmental work in the Central building on Fifth street.

Three Vacancies.
There are three vacancies yet to fill, being the two science teachers in the high school and the instructor in art, drawing and sewing in the grades. There are a number of applicants but so far a selection has not been made.

J. P. McIntyre submitted the best bid on the supply of coal for the various buildings and was awarded the contract.

WILSON TALKS WITH HOUSE

Confers With Man Who Spent Four Months in War Territory (Associated Press)

Roslyn, L. I., June 24—At the country home of Col. E. M. House here President Wilson today discussed with House the latter's four months' trip and his conference abroad with high officials of the warring powers.

President Wilson Sends Thanks
To Illinois Elks' Association

Enthusiastically and unanimously adopted:
WHEREAS, because of the European War, our country in its relations with foreign powers is confronted with many grave problems upon the wise solution of which depends our honor, peace and welfare.

AND, WHEREAS, the situation is one which demands that all true American citizens lay aside politics and partisanship and stand shoulder to shoulder for the Stars and Stripes.
THEREFORE, Be It Resolved by the Illinois State Association of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks in convention assembled in the City of East St. Louis, Illinois, that

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HOPE TO SECURE
SOIL ADVISOR AS
RESULT OF PICNIC

MANY THINK LEE CO. SHOULD BE GETTING ITS SHARE OF APPROPRIATIONS

BIG PICNIC NEXT WEDNESDAY

Amboy Will Be Scene of Notable Gathering—Great Time Is Promised

The program for the county picnic to be held at Green River park at Amboy next Wednesday has been completed and a great time is assured for those who attended. The purpose of the gathering is to arouse further interest in the movement to secure a county soil expert and to organize a Lee County Soil and Crop Improvement Association. Other counties are sharing in state and federal appropriations and in many quarters of Lee county it is felt that Lee county farmers should be getting their share.

Two brass bands will furnish music for the day, starting at 9 o'clock and at 10 o'clock Lee Center and Ohio base ball teams will meet in a contest which should prove of exceptional interest. The basket dinner will be eaten at noon. Free coffee, sugar and cream will be served, but picnickers are expected to bring their cups.

The feature of the picnic will be the address by W. F. Handschin, state leader of County Agent Work of the United States Department of Agriculture, who will speak at 1:15 o'clock on County Co-operation for Farmers and Business Men.

Everyone is invited to attend the picnic and get in on the good work.

ASKS INJUNCTION
PENDING DIVORCE

THE ATTORNEY FOR MRS. OSCAR BOONE WISHES SALE OF PROPERTY RESTRICTED.

Judge O. E. Heard reconvened the circuit court today at 11 a. m. when chancery matters were taken up. This afternoon testimony was heard in the foreclosure proceedings brought by Frank W. Brauer vs. Francis Tilton of Palmyra township. It is expected that the work will be completed and an adjournment taken tomorrow for the term.

This afternoon Attorney Kent asked that an injunction order be issued in the divorce proceedings of Mabel Boone against her husband, Oscar Boone, restraining the defendant from disposing of any property until after the disposition of the case. In her bill for divorce the plaintiff states that she was married to Oscar Boone on July 11, 1911, and to the union was born a son, Thayer. She asks for the custody of the child and that the divorce be granted on grounds of cruelty and drunkenness.

ABANDONED STOLEN LAUNCH

Thief Had Trouble With Engine of Robert Sanford's Boat.

The motor boat belonging to Robert Sanford was stolen from its mooring at the foot of Peoria avenue Wednesday afternoon and located in the evening about a mile and a half down the river by Deputy Sheriff Schoenholtz and Mr. Sanford, where it was tied to a small tree near the bank. The party who took the boat had trouble with the engine after getting down the river and was towed to the shore by clambers who have a camp down there. Officers are looking for the thief.

Dr. Beverly of Oregon was in Dixon today on business.

OFFICIALS GIVE UP ALL HOPE

Carranza's Refusal to Agree to Truce With Villa Is Cause

(Associated Press)
Washington, June 24—Official hope that the warring factions in Mexico might settle their differences waned today as a result of Carranza's notice that he will not agree to a truce with Villa pending a discussion of peace.

PROCLAMATION

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Respectfully yours,
HENRY SCHMIDT,
Mayor.

HON. J. P. DEVINE



Dixon man who has been named by Governor Dunne to be his personal representative in the investigation of the murder of Mrs. Edmund Allen, wife of the warden of Joliet penitentiary.

SELECT LEE COUNTY
STATE FAIR STUDENTS

FRANKLIN GROVE AND PAWPAW YOUNG MEN CAPTURED APPOINTMENTS.

Chairman Morris Cook of the board of supervisors in conjunction with County Superintendent L. W. Miller have finished examining the papers of boys who took the examination for the scholarship to the Boys' State Fair school, held in connection with the state fair. George Ennert, Franklin Grove, received the farm boys appointment, while Stanley Thorpe of Poupaw received the town boys appointment. Frank Miller of Compton and Lee Herwig of Ashton received the appointment as first and second alternate respectively. Each county in the state is allowed two appointments to the boys school held during the week of the state fair at Springfield and many do not exercise their right in selecting any appointments and these are then thrown to other counties and Lee county will try and secure one of these extra appointments this year.

BRYAN CONGRATULATES LANSING

(Associated Press)
Washington, June 24—Secretary of State Robert Lansing today received many congratulatory messages, including one from former Secretary W. J. Bryan.

Robert Lansing Gets Degree.
Utica, N. Y., June 24.—Robert Lansing, acting secretary of state, was awarded the degree of doctor of laws at Colgate university. The degree was voted before Lansing became acting head of the department.

Wagon Demolished
And Woman Hurt
in Auto Mishaps

Lee LeFever's and H. W. Wadox' Cars and Abt's Wagon Damaged

A runaway, in which Abt's delivery wagon was demolished, resulted from a collision between a street car and Lee LeFever's automobile near the intersection of First street and Peoria avenue about 10 o'clock this morning; the automobile also receiving injuries from its experience with the car.

Mr. LeFever had stopped in front of the Abt meat market to allow a friend to get out and in attempting to start he killed the engine of his auto. A west bound city car crashed into the rear of the machine, shoving it to one side and into Abt's wagon, which was standing at the curb in front of the market.

The horse, frightened at the jolt, started to run, turning south on Peoria avenue and colliding with Stude Baker's heavy truck. It was in this collision that the lighter vehicle was demolished. The automobile fenders were badly bent and the machine was put out of commission.

Accident Near Nachusa

A Ford auto, owned and driven by H. W. Wadox of Lincoln, Neb. was crowded off the road west of Nachusa at about 5:30 o'clock Tuesday evening, by one of a number of Rockford autos which were touring this section and Mrs. Wadox suffered a fractured bone in her left ankle, while three other occupants of the car was bruised and severely shaken up.

The injured people were brought to Dixon by W. J. McAlpine who passed at about that hour, and were cared for at the Nachusa Tavern, while their car was repaired at a local garage.

FARNUM CASE IS CONTINUED

Complaining Witness Could Not Appear Against Prisoner.

Robert Farnum, who was arrested a week ago at Amboy on a statutory offense and who had been in the county jail since then, was taken to Amboy Wednesday afternoon by Sheriff Phillips for a hearing before Justice Hines. On account of the complaining witness being unable to appear against him the case was continued ten days. Farnum was brought back to Dixon again.

SPECULATE DERNBERG'S FATE

Unwelcome German Is Being Detained by British at Kirkwell

(Associated Press)
London, June 24—The steamer Bergensfjord, together with Dr. Dernberg, has been released by the authorities and will sail from Kirkwell tonight.

FOUR U.S. SOLDIERS DROWNED

Ft. Riley Men Lost Lives When Boat Capsized In Flood

(Associated Press)
Junction City, Kas., June 24—Five men four of them negro soldiers of Fort Riley, were drowned last night in the Republic river when their boat capsized in the flood.

DIXON MAN TO
HELP HUNT MRS.
ALLEN'S SLAYER

GOV. DUNNE NAMES JOHN P. DEVINE AS HIS REPRESENTATIVE.

HAS ACCESS TO ALL PRISONERS

Governor Directs Course of Action—Find Murdered Woman's Purse.

(Associated Press)
Springfield, Ill., June 24—Bearing a letter from Governor Dunne to Warden Edmund Allen and the other prison officials, Representative John P. Devine of Dixon left here last night for Joliet to act as the Governor's representative until further notice.

Given Free Access.

Prison officials are directed to give Devine access to prisoners, and especially to those suspected of being "guilty of the horrible tragedy of Sunday."

Attend Investigations.

"I would respectfully direct," said Governor Dunne in his letter to Warden Allen, "that Mr. Devine be present at all interviews with suspected men and at all examinations held publicly or privately when these men are under investigation."

To Protect Prisoners.

It is understood that Gov. Dunne is sending Devine to make certain that the rights of prisoners are not abused in the efforts which are being made to apprehend the slayer of Mrs. Allen.

Find Woman's Purse.

Joliet, June 24—When the inquest into the death of Mrs. Allen was resumed today the discovery of Mrs. Allen's purse, made yesterday, was regarded as important evidence against "Chicken Joe" Campbell as the probable murderer.

Ask Allen to Stay.

Chicago, June 24.—Just before Warden Edmund M. Allen's expected arrival at the Joliet penitentiary, where he personally has taken up the search for the murderer of his wife, a convict messenger arrived at the home of William D. Heise, where the warden and his two children are guests, and delivered the first message from the 1,700 men who sign themselves "Your Boys."

In what will probably stand as a penitentiary epic, the convicts ask Allen to "come back to us and we will build a real honor system as a fitting memorial to your dear departed wife—we will build men in whom honor is not dead and will not die."

LICENSED TO WED.

Charles H. Davis, Brooklyn.
Catherine Walter, Brooklyn.

Boston Symphony Sextette
To Be Feature Attraction

One of the chief musical attractions at the Rock River Assembly this summer will be the Boston Symphony Sextette from the Boston Symphony, the world's greatest orchestra.

This is a Dunbar attraction. The director of this famous sextette is Max Kunze. Every musician and every musical critic knows the ability of this man as a musical director.

Notice the personnel of the company:

Herman Goldstein, violin.
Placido Fiumara, violin.
Walter Blumenau, viola.
Ludwig Nast, cello.
Gustav Battles, flute.
Max Kunze, bass.

The programs offered are distinctive and unusual. Theirs is not orchestral music—it is far more—it is the artistry of mature men who are at the head of their class, applied to ensemble music written for their instrumentation. To hear them is to enjoy a feast of revealed musical art.

The Boston Symphony orchestra was organized thirty-four years ago. It contains ninety-eight players, a majority of whom have served a score or more years. Changes in membership are rare and men are retired on pensions when the age limit is reached.

LANSING IS NAMED AS SUCCESSOR TO BRYAN

Counsellor Accepts Post as State Department Head.

Washington, June 24.—Robert Lansing, secretary of state ad interim since the resignation of William Jennings Bryan, has been definitely selected by President Wilson for the permanent post, and has accepted. Formal announcement was at the White House at 5 p. m.

Mr. Lansing, who is a son-in-law of former Secretary of State John W. Foster, became counsellor of the state department upon the retirement of John Bassett Moore, and has been openly regarded as President Wilson's mainstay on questions of international law in all the difficult diplomatic negotiations which have been thrust upon the United States by the European war. It is a matter of common remark in Washington that he has commanded the respect and admiration of the foreign chancellors here to a marked degree.

Mr. Lansing's home is in Watertown, N. Y., and he is just past fifty years old. Since 1889 he has practiced law and began his first diplomatic work for the United States in the Bering sea arbitration. Soon afterward he became counsel for the United States Bering sea claims commission and following that was solicitor for the Alaskan boundary tribunal. In 1909 he became counsel in the North Atlantic coast fisheries at The Hague.

His last work before becoming counsellor for the state department was as agent for the United States in the Anglo-American claims arbitration.

DEMENTTOWN DOINGS

Strange things happen in this world. We actually know a fellow who thinks his landlord is a fine guy. Most of us are real charitable—to ourselves.

The gink who whistles at his work is full of joy, perhaps. But how about those near him, what? What of the other chaps?

Did You Ever Hear Of—
A girl graduate that was not sweet?

A report that was not comprehensive?

A hostess that did not dispense charming hospitality?

A table that did not groan under the weight of good things heaped up on it?

A victory that was not sweeping?
A business man that was not tired?

Or presents that were not numerous and costly?

OR a story that was quite as absorbing as "The Invasion of America?"

The Valve Handle Whistle

The following letter was received by a wholesale plumbers' supply house from one of its customers:

"Dear Friend: I got the valve which I buy from you all rite, but why you doan sen me handle. Wats the use of valve when she doan have no handle. I loses to me my customer sure thing. You doan treat me rite is my money not so good as the other fellow. I wate 10 daze and my customer he holler for water by the valve. You know she hot sommer now and the win he do blow the mill the valve she no handle so what I goan do you doan send me the handle pretty quick. I send me back and I goan order some valve from Krain company. Goodby, your friend"

"P. S. Since I write thees I fine the dam handle in the box. Excuse to me."

J. A. M.

Herbert Connors, the artist, was hear today from Amboy.

Miss Helen Brinton came out from Chicago last evening.

"TIZ" GLADDENS SORE, TIRED FEET

"TIZ" makes sore, burning, tired feet fairly dance with delight. Away go the aches and pains, the corns, callouses, blisters and bunions.

"TIZ" draws out the acids and poisons that puff up your feet. No matter how hard you work, how long you dance, how far you walk, or how long you remain on your feet, "TIZ" brings relief, foot comfort. "TIZ" is wonderful for tired, aching, swollen, smarting feet. Your feet just tingle for joy; shoes never hurt or seem tight.

Get a 25 cent box of "TIZ" now from any druggist or department store. End foot torture forever—wear smaller shoes, keep your feet fresh, sweet and happy.

BRITISH CRUISER HIT BY TORPEDO, AFLOAT

Roxburgh Is Able to Enter Port Under Own Steam.

London, June 24.—The British cruiser Roxburgh was torpedoed by a German submarine in the North sea last Sunday, according to an official statement just issued by the admiralty. The cruiser was not damaged so seriously but that she could make port under her own steam. There were no casualties.

No allusion is made to the fate of the German craft that fired the torpedo. The fact that a second was not fired might indicate that the submarine had been injured by gun fire from the Roxburgh. The admiralty announcement says nothing to this effect, however.

The Roxburgh was of 10,850 tons displacement. She was built in 1901, and made 22 knots.

LORD KITCHENER 65 TO-DAY

Only Birthday Present He Wants Is Record Number of Recruits.

London, June 24.—Lord Kitchener is sixty-five years old today. For a birthday present he wants a record number of new recruits and munition workers.

"He wants nothing more, not even congratulations," said a high official.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. Ole Anderson of E. Chamberlain street, has been taken to her home from the hospital, where she has been for the past six weeks. She is convalescing very satisfactorily.

GRANDMA USED SAGE TEA TO DARKEN HAIR

She made up a mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur to bring back color, gloss, thickness.

Common garden sage brewed into a heavy tea with sulphur and alcohol added, will turn gray, streaked and faded hair beautifully dark and luxuriant, remove every bit of dandruff, stop itching and falling hair. Just a few applications will prove a revelation if your hair is fading, gray or dry, scraggly and thin. Mixing the Sage Tea and Sulphur recipe at home, though, is troublesome. An easier way is to get the ready-to-use tonic, costing about 60 cents a large bottle at drug stores, known as "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy," thus avoiding a lot of trouble.

While wispy, gray, faded hair is not sinful, we all desire to retain our youthful appearance and attractiveness. By darkening your hair with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur, no one can tell, because it does it so naturally, so evenly. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning all gray hairs have disappeared, and, after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, glossy, soft and luxuriant.

Every safety razor blade sharpened as good as new at Campbell's Drug Store. 1011

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

Special Warrant Under Local Improvement Ordinance No. 174, Series of 1914.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the County Court of Lee County, Illinois, has rendered judgment for special assessment upon the property benefited by the following improvement: The construction of a vitrified tile pipe sewer with manholes, house connection laterals and catch basins in Jackson Avenue in the City of Dixon, Illinois, as will more fully appear from a certified copy of said judgment now on file in my office and that a warrant for the collection of such assessment is in the hands of the undersigned.

Said assessment is payable in ten (10) annual installments. The amount of the first installment is \$175.77, and is due and payable on or before January 2nd, 1916; the last nine of said installments are each for the amount of \$100.00 and one of such installments is due and payable January 2nd in each of the years 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924 and 1925, both inclusive. All such installments bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, payable annually, on the 2nd day of July, from the 19th day of June, A. D. 1915.

All persons interested are hereby notified to call and pay the amount assessed against the premises represented by them in the assessment roll which has been heretofore confirmed in the County Court at the Collector's Office in the City Hall in the City of Dixon within thirty days from and after the date hereof if they desire to stop interest on their said assessment.

Dated this 22nd day of June, A. D. 1915.

BLAKE GROVER, Collector.

TO PLAY OFF 11 - INNING TIE

Lee Center and Ohio Will Meet On Sunday at Lee Center.

Lee Center and Ohio, who on May 23 staged a 9 to 9 eleven inning game will meet again next Sunday afternoon on the Lee Center diamond and the fans of that section are anticipating a great contest. A special car will leave Amboy at 1:30, returning after the game.

BOMB IN CARNEGIE'S YARD

Fuse Had Been Lighted But Had Gone Out—Andy Is In Maine.

(Associated Press)

New York, June 24.—A bomb, the fuse of which had been lighted but had gone out, was found last night inside the iron railing around the grounds of Andrew Carnegie's home. Carnegie is in Maine and only servants were in the house.

TROOPS NEAR MEXICO CITY

(Associated Press)

El Paso, June 24.—The Carranza agency says that the Carranza army under Gen. Gonzales has reached the suburbs of Mexico City.

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PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the County Court of Lee County, Illinois, has rendered judgment for special assessment upon the property benefited by the following improvement: The construction of vitrified tile pipe sewer, for sanitary purposes, with manholes, house connection laterals and flushing tank in Crawford Avenue in the City of Dixon, Illinois, as will more fully appear from a certified copy of said judgment now on file in my office and that a warrant for the collection of such assessment is in the hands of the undersigned.

Said assessment is payable in eight (8) annual installments. The amount of the first installment is \$377.49, and is due and payable on or before January 2nd, 1916; the last seven of said installments are each for the amount of \$100.00 and one of such installments is due and payable January 2nd in each of the years, 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922 and 1923, both inclusive. All such installments bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, payable annually on the 2nd day of July, from the 19th day of June, A. D. 1915.

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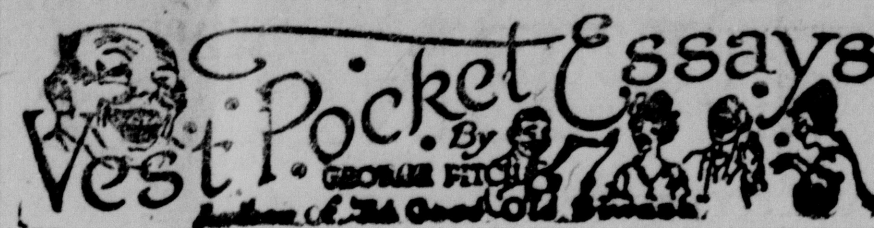
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the County Court of Lee County, Illinois, has rendered judgment for special assessment upon the property benefited by the following improvement: The construction of vitrified tile pipe sewer for sanitary purposes in Fourth Street in the City of Dixon, Illinois, as will more fully appear from the certified copy of said judgment now on file in my office and that a warrant for the collection of such assessment is in the hands of the undersigned.

Said assessment is payable in five (5) annual installments. The amount of the first installment is \$185.61 and is due and payable on or before January 2nd, 1916; the last four of said installments are each for the amount of \$100.00 and one of such installments is due and payable January 2nd in each of the years, 1917, 1918, 1919, and 1920, both inclusive. All such installments bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, payable annually on the 2nd day of July, from the 19th day of June, A. D. 1915.

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THE CLASSES AND THE MASSES

An earnest attempt is being made to divide the people of this country into two parts consisting of the classes and the masses.

We have discussed the matter with several members of the classes. Their ideas seem to be that the masses are those who must be considerably uplifted before they will be able to enjoy art, social service, John Stuart Mill, French salads and tango teas.

We have also discussed the classes with many of the masses. Their ideas will not be printed, owing to the pure food law.

There does not seem to be much chance of getting the masses and the classes to agree in their opinion of each other. This would be very distressing if it weren't for the fact that it doesn't matter.

This is because it is hardly worth while to divide Americans into classes and masses. It is like trying to keep fat and lean on opposite sides of a solid citizen. The principal mission of the masses and the classes in this country seems to be to trade places.

Shortly after the man with the slanting brow, who thinks Nietzsche

is a new kind of cheese, has bought a little farm on which to man-with-the-hoe his life away, a prospecting company strikes oil next door and buys him out for \$150,000—which is the initiation fee into the classes.

Also three days after a perfectly tremendous lady has looked at the masses through a pair of glasses on an umbrella handle and has said: "How can these people live?"—her husband guesses wrong on the stock market and she has to sell the family car, and begin hanging with the said masses on the street car straps.

It is hardly worth while for a member of the masses to hate the classes for he is likely to be elected alderman at any time in a city which doesn't approve of reform.

It is very foolish for a member of the classes to get fractious about the masses because some heartless person may at any minute dig up a photograph of his grandfather on his vegetable cart.

About the only difference between America and some other countries is the fact that there is no reinforced concrete partition between the masses and the classes. Transportation between the two is highly perfected and not subject to Interstate Commerce regulations. It is nobody's business if a man does change his state.

On the whole we would rather be a mass than a class because going up is so much less painful than coming down.

BURMAN SAYS RESTA WILL WIN BIG DERBY

AMERICAN DRIVER MAKES PREDICTION ON SATURDAY'S AUTO GRIND.

TWENTY-THREE CARS TO START

Resta and Three Stutz Cars Will Get Off In Front Row With The Gong.

Chicago, June 24.—When Starter Fred Wagner pulls the trigger of his starting gun at Chicago's great Speedway Park course at 10 o'clock on Saturday morning, twenty-three racing automobiles will be facing the wire.

The elimination trials, the final of which was held on Tuesday of this week, brought to an end the friendly rivalry which has marked the daily workout at the speedway and although there were two cars ruled out, only one failed to circle the two mile track at a rate of 85 miles an hour. The Berwyn Baby, a freak car built and piloted by a Berwyn, Ill., inventor, failed miserably when offered a clear track on Monday and the owner, fearing the worst, did not attempt to qualify on Tuesday.

Limberg Eliminated.

Ed Limberg, the elongated driver who runs a Sunbeam, was eliminated although he covered the distance at a clip better than ninety miles an hour. A rule of the American Automobile association prohibits the competition of more than three cars of any manufacture and therefore one of the Sunbeams cars was destined to fall by the way. In order that the manufacturer draw a fair break in the elimination the cars entered all try for time and the three high men qualify the fourth withdrawing. Limberg was the unfortunate driver in this case and he will be scratched altho his running partner, Grant, may choose him as a relief driver.

Get Used to Track.

While no records were broken at the final trials, fast time was made by several of the cars. A speed of one hundred miles an hour was struck early in the running and averages of 90 to 100 miles was the order of affairs. The fact that the trials on Tuesday did not bring out the speed shown on the first day should not be taken as an indication that the cars are slowing down. On the contrary the drivers are becoming accustomed to the course and are taking no chances but are content with marks that are safely above the qualification zone.

Automobiles bearing state license tags of every state in the union are pouring into Chicago and the hotels are well crowded. Thousands upon thousands are coming to the big race prisingly large number of auto par-

ties is most gratifying to the officials over the railroad routes but the sur-in charge.

Predicts Resta.

Bob Burman, conceded to be one of the most fearless drivers who ever donned a pair of goggles, except to finish well up in the race. However, modestly fairly bubbles out on Bob and when asked what he thought of the big race, the smiling Robert with out hesitation remarked "Resta will surely win." That's just like Bob Burman. He is always boosting the other fellow and generally dodges the issue when asked for an opinion on his own chances.

There are eight cars and drivers who hit up a speed of 100 miles an hour or better in the trials and these

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Knife and fork scouring boxes5	Carpenter's chalk & sand paper, 6 for5
8 oz. tin top jelly tumblers, 6 for10	Picnic plates, 25 for5
All the latest song hits10	White napkins, 50 for5
4 oz. bottles Cedar Oil10	Ladies' vests10
New disc graphophone records, latest pieces10	Extra size, extra quality10
Flexible steel gas tubing, foot5	No. 5 or 7 satin back velvet ribbon, yd.5
		Small size Carnation milk 3 cans for10
		Fresh Fig Newtons and cookies, lb.10

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eight men will make up the first two lines when the lineup is arranged. Resta and the three Stutz cars will make up the first line while Billy Carlson, Ed Richenbach, Ed Van Raalte and Bob Burman will take places in the second line.

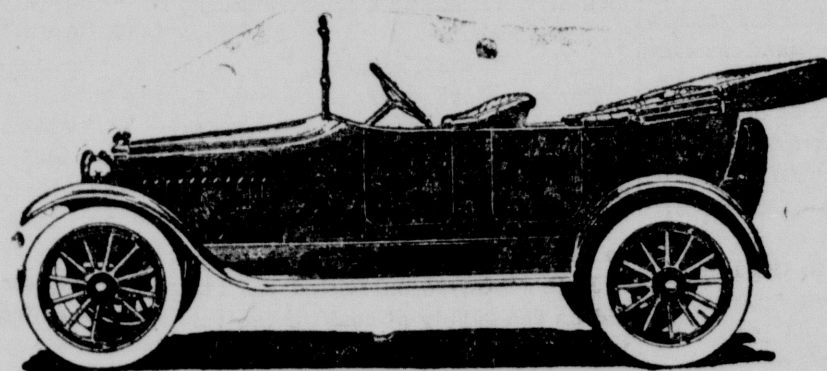
Everything is in readiness for the greatest automobile race the country has ever seen and all that is desired in fair weather and a cool day. However the heat makes no particular difference—only to the spectators.

BACK FROM WISCONSIN

Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Sickels have returned from their summer cottage at Lac du Flambeau, Wis. Dr. Sickels has been making extensive improvements in the appointments of the Wisconsin home and he now has it completely equipped for the fullest enjoyment of vacation periods spent in this splendid fishing and hunting region.

Lyman Booth spent the day with friends in Ashton.

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Society Notes of Dixon and Vicinity

CALENDAR EVENTS

FOR COMING WEEK

Thursday

E.R. B. Sunday school class picnic—Assembly park
Lutheran Picnic—Assembly ground
Thursday Dinner club—Mrs. Chas. Huber
Presbyterian Social Tea—Mrs. M. M. Julien.

Friday

Harmon Dance—Derr's Hall
C. C. Circle—Mrs. Bert Snice.
O. E. S. Parlor club picnic—Mrs. Theodore Wilson, Assembly park
St. Agnes Guild—Mrs. A. C. Gossman
Presbyterian Missionary—Mrs. Gardner.

Motored from Sublette

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ulitch, daughter, Miss Alma, and granddaughter, Little Miss Dorothy Ulitch, and E. F. Davis of Sublette motored to Dixon this morning and spent the day here yesterday calling on friends.

Polo S. S. Picnic Here

The Methodist Sunday school of Polo held their annual picnic at the Assembly Park here yesterday. A picnic dinner was served at noon and a large crowd was in attendance.

Parlor Club Picnic

The annual picnic of O. E. S. Parlor club will be held tomorrow at Assembly park. All members are requested to bring their own dishes, silverware, sandwiches, and an extra dish for ice cream. If it should rain the picnic will be held in Masonic hall.

Visit in Chicago

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Marks of this city attended on Tuesday the reception given by Mr. and Mrs. David Marks of Chicago in honor of their fifth wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Marks are still in the city and will attend the graduation of their daughter, Miss Anna, from the Wendell Phillips high school.

Steak Fry at Lowell

Misses Ruth and Olive Graehning and Joy Stultz of this city, and Messrs Harold Emmert of Nachusa, Harry Stultz of Dixon, and Howard Miller of Lee Center motored to Lowell park Wednesday evening and enjoyed a beefsteak fry.

Home from Champaign

Mrs. Lydia Parks has returned from Champaign where she visited relatives and attended the commencement exercises of the University of Illinois, which she says are most impressive and beautiful.

Koesler-Miller

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Miller of Amboy was the scene of a pretty wedding Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock when their daughter, Miss Lila E., was united in marriage to

Charles H. Koesler, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Koesler of Amboy.

With Miss Marie Koesler, a sister of the groom, at the piano, the bridal pair, unattended, took their places beneath the wedding arch of fern leaves and pale pink roses as the strains of the wedding march from Lohengrin sounded forth. Reverend Appelmann of Amboy performed the ceremony in the presence of the immediate families and a few friends. The bride looked very beautiful in a handsome gown of white pussy willow taffeta and carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses.

A wedding reception followed, with a three course luncheon served by two friends of the bride, the Misses Fey, who were daintily gowned in white. The dining room was charmingly decorated in white roses.

Showers of congratulations and best wishes followed the young couple as they left by auto for Dixon, and thence to Freeport, where they took train for Chicago. The bride's traveling suit was of blue with which a white hat was worn. Upon their return from the city Mr. and Mrs. Koesler will make their home with the bride's parents, until the completion of their new home, which is being erected in Amboy.

Mr. and Mrs. Koesler are both young people of high character. Mrs. Koesler has been a school teacher for a number of years, having taught the Union Corners school near Amboy. Mr. Koesler is in the employ of the Illinois Central road as fireman. They both have a host of friends who wish them happiness.

West Brooklyn Club

The West Brooklyn Domestic Science club was entertained yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Oester, Sr., with Mrs. O. J. Oester as hostess. Sixteen members and six visitors were present and enjoyed a delightful and instructive afternoon. Because of the absence of the president, Mrs. Henry Bernardin, vice president took charge of the meeting. Responses to the roll call were made in the form of short toasts. The general topic for discussion was the "Utilization of Dry Bread," various members giving of their experiences. Miss Madolyn Derr of Geneva Heights gave a delightful vocal number, "Voices of the Wood," and Miss Helen Dinges charmingly rendered an instrumental solo. The paper of the afternoon was given by Mrs. Prosper Gander on "Diet." Unique favors were given by the hostess to those present. Tiny firecrackers to which flags were attached by means of red, white and blue ribbon, when opened, were found to contain useful recipes.

The next meeting will be held within two weeks with Mrs. Frank Hoggard of West Brooklyn. It was decided the picnic which was postponed on account of rainy weather, should be held next Wednesday at Green River Park, Amboy.

Return from Outing

Misses Christine Squires, Francine Graham, and Grace Crawford have returned from an outing of several days at Mrs. A. C. Warner's summer cottage, Suitsus.

To Visit in Tampico

Miss Maude Brooks, Miss Ruth Stultz, Frank Stultz and Miss Naomi Dennison will go tomorrow to Tampico to visit over Sunday at the Clyde Dennison home.

Important Ashton Wedding

A wedding of great importance in the social life of Ashton, uniting as it does two young people of prominence in the town, Miss Amanda Vaupel and Roy C. Heibenthal, occurred

this afternoon at 5 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Vaupel. Reverend Eller of the United Evangelical church performed the ceremony in the presence of thirty relatives and intimate friends.

Unattended save by Little Miss Helen Mail, a cousin of the bride, who carried the ring in a white rose on a silver tray, the bridal couple took their places before a bank of roses and ferns in the parlor as the groom's sister, Mrs. Ervin J. Yenerick, played Mendelssohn's wedding march. The impressive ring ceremony was used.

Ivory satin with Chantilly lace composed the handsome gown of the bride, who carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses.

A reception and dinner of three courses followed the ceremony. Those serving were Mrs. E. J. Yenerick, Miss Alma Mail, Miss Florence Burhenn, and Miss Ada Kersten. The dining room was handsomely decorated in pink and white, chignon in the chosen colors being festooned from the chandelier to the corners of the table. The centerpiece of the table, a basket of Killarney roses, had a bow of the pink and white chignon up on the handle.

The bride, the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vaupel, is a charming young woman of much musical talent and has followed music as her vocation for several years. She is a graduate from Dixon College. Mr. Heibenthal, an exemplary young man, is the only son of Supervisor and Mrs. Charles Heibenthal. He is employed in the G. A. Hamel store of Ashton.

Following a trip to Niagara Falls Mr. and Mrs. Heibenthal will be at home to their friends with the bride's parents after July 20th. A handsome lavender faille suit constituted the bride's traveling gown. With this was worn a panama hat trimmed in lavender.

Among the guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Wagner, grandparents of the groom, and Miss Minnie Wagner, all of this city.

At Suitsus

Misses Ruth Smith and Lucy Badger spent Wednesday at Mrs. A. C. Warner's cottage, Suitsus.

At Morrison Home

Mrs. Percy Schroeder and children of Racine, Wis., are guests at the home of Mrs. Schroeder's parents, Attorney and Mrs. C. B. Morrison.

Guests of Mrs. Rosbrook

Mrs. Curtis Clark and three children arrived today from Los Angeles, Cal., enroute to their home in Pittsburg, Pa., for a visit with Mrs. F. J. Rosbrook, Mrs. Clark's sister.

Return to Iowa

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hales and daughter Margaret of Swaledale, Ia., returned today to their home by auto accompanied by Mrs. Hugh Wasely of Chicago.

Guests from Wheaton

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Davenport and daughters, Misses Dorothy and Alice, motored from Wheaton, Ill., last evening and are being entertained for the week end at the home of their cousin, W. W. Phillips, 606 S. Peoria avenue.

Return from Wisconsin

Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Sicks have returned from a several weeks' stay at their cottage in Flambeau, Wis.

Ball Benefit Dance

There will be a dance given in Derr's hall, Harmon, Friday evening June 25th. Music will be furnished by the Mendota orchestra. The dance is for the benefit of the ball team.

Entertained at Sterling

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Phillips, daughter, Miss Jeanetta, and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Davenport and Misses Dorothy and Alice Davenport of Wheaton, motored to

Sterling today and were entertained at the home of William Davenport, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Davenport.

Visiting Grandparents

Miss Edna Sminkley of Davenport, Ia., is visiting at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Dauntler.

In Davenport

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dauntler are visiting the former's sister, Mrs. Henry Sminkley, of Davenport, Ia.

Gave Dinner

Mrs. Herman Missman of 1105 West Fourth street entertained eight guests at dinner yesterday in honor of Mrs. A. R. Gwinn of Indianapolis.

At Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brewster will be entertained this evening at dinner at the E. H. Brewster summer home at Hazelwood. The dinner will be in honor of Master Hughes' birthday.

Beefsteak Fry

Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Aydelotte, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Kramer of this city, Miss Ruth Byrd of Scarboro, and Miss Bertha Williamson of Divernon, Ill., enjoyed a beefsteak fry at Lowell park last evening. The trip was made by automobile.

On Western Trip

Mrs. E. R. Curtis and children left last evening for a two months' visit in the west with friends and relatives. They will first visit in Grand Island, Neb., with a sister of Mr. Curtis and from there will go to Greeley, Colo., to visit Mr. Curtis, parents later visiting Mrs. Curtis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Ingham, in Sioux Falls, South Dakota. Mr. Curtis did not accompany them but will go later for a visit of a week or two.

Guests of Mrs. Eastman

Mrs. Charles Eastman had as her guests Wednesday for the day Mrs. Helen Middlekauff, state department inspector of the Woman's Relief Corps, Mrs. May Brennan, and Mrs. Margaret Weiss, all of Freeport.

Entertained Former Pastor

Rev. S. E. Fisher, former pastor of the Christian church here, who came to Dixon to officiate at the funeral of Mrs. Wallace Hall, was entertained last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wolber. Mr. and Mrs. George Prescott entertained him today at dinner. Mr. Fisher expects to return to his home in Petersburg tomorrow morning.

Royal Neighbors Here

The Royal Neighbors will meet at Miller's hall at 8 o'clock this evening and all officers and members are asked to be present to meet a visitor from Kansas. A social session and refreshments will be enjoyed after the business meeting.

Morning Wedding

In the county clerk's office at the court house this morning Judge John B. Crabtree united in marriage Miss Catherine Walter and Charles H. Davis, both of Brooklyn. The couple returned to Brooklyn township this afternoon where they will make their home.

From Rock Falls

Dr. and Mrs. Ray Wilson entertained Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Sheldon of Rock Falls yesterday.

Cly Alty Club

The Cly Alty club was delightfully entertained yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Nolan Lord, at her home, 1906 Hennepin avenue. Needlework and social chat filled the hours of the afternoon pleasantly with a delicious lunch served late in the afternoon by the hostess. Roses decorated the luncheon table. The club will hold its next meeting with Mrs. Charles Lievan.

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For Week End

Mrs. Mary Fien has gone to spend the week end at the McGrath home north of Polo.

To Sterling

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Williams, Miss Leah Williams, and Mrs. George Cupp of Dixon; Mrs. George Bennett and daughter Geraldine of Artesian, S. D.; and Mrs. Henry Slaughter of Mitchell, S. D., motored to Sterling yesterday and in the Williams' car and spent the afternoon.

Dinner Guests

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Williams and Mrs. George Bennett and daughter Geraldine of Artesian, S. D., were entertained at dinner today at the Frank Group home north of Franklin Grove.

Gives Dinner

Miss Mary Rosbrook of the Bend entertained this evening with a dinner. The guests are the two Misses Remmers of the Bend and Miss Chandler of Rockford.

Nelson Ladies' Aid

Mrs. A. J. Hollenbeck delightfully entertained the ladies of the Nelson Aid Society Wednesday afternoon. Seventeen members and twelve visitors were present. The afternoon was spent in sewing and later a dainty luncheon was served by the hostess. The next meeting will be held on the 14th of July when Arthur Wilson will demonstrate the practicability of aluminum ware and will cook the luncheon for the ladies. All ladies are cordially invited to be present at this demonstration.

At Tryon Rosbrook Home

Mr. and Mrs. Hales of Swaledale, Ia., have been guests at the Tryon Rosbrook home at the Bend for some time.

General Dutton's Widow Dies

Sycamore, Ill., June 24.—Mrs. Rosina Dutton, aged seventy-one, wife of the late Gen. Everett F. Dutton, died after two months' illness.

Illinois Child Drinks Lye, Dies

Galesburg, Ill., June 24.—Frank, the four year old son of George Deillon of Maquon, Ill., drank lye by mistake and is dead.

Steals Vinegar for Whiskey

Springfield, Ill., June 24.—A thief who stole a case of twelve filled bottles, thinking the contents to be whiskey, abandoned his loot after discovering the liquid was vinegar.

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Home For Vacation

Miss Katherine Deal returned home today from Lake Forest for the summer vacation.

John Lawton was in town from Palmyra today.

Harry Quick was a business caller in Pine Creek and Prairieville today

Miss Emma Kentner was a Sterling visitor yesterday.

Misses Hattie and Florence Mulkins went to the city today.

Justice Virgil and family of Amboy were in Dixon yesterday.

Captain Dreyfoss of Chicago was the guest today of Max Rosenthal.

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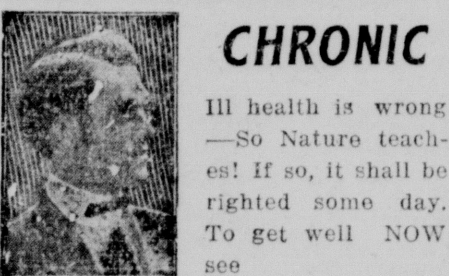
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WHAT MAN CAN DO FOR THE SOIL.

Nature's way of maintaining the fertility of the soil is all right and it is the way that man should do it, only man makes excessive demands upon the soil and nature's way of replenishing does not keep up with the pace. If man wants to grow big crops and realize the fullest amount on the land he farms, he must put back into the land the plant food that the crops take out when they are grown and removed.

Every farmer in Lee county should have been in attendance at the meeting at the state experimental station near Dixon yesterday. Two experts from the Agricultural department of the state university at Urbana gave a most valuable and educational talk to the hundred men and women who were there.

Among the points that F. C. Bauer of the university, brought out in his talk, was that mere rotation of crops does not solve the problem of maintaining the fertility of the soil. He quoted figures from an experimental field that has been maintained in England for sixty-four years and the most scientific rotation of crops on this field has only resulted in the gradual deterioration of the land until the plots treated in this way produce practically nothing. The reason for this is that the rotation of three or four crops, while it does not use up the plant food as rapidly, fails to put back into the soil all of the necessary plant food it takes out. The State of Pennsylvania has an experimental field with a record of many years that shows the same results and the State of Illinois has fields, not so old, but old enough to show that the same rule holds good here. The only logical conclusion is that besides crop rotation, grain fields, to produce standard yields, must have manures, phosphorus and limestone applied to them. With long enough use the fields, no matter what the treatment is, will fall off in production unless phosphorus is put back into the soil by the farmer.

The information given at the local experimental field by the university men only emphasizes the necessity for a permanent local farm expert and advisor. Such an expert would earn his salary many times over and the sooner the farmers, land owners and business men of Lee county realize this and put their influence back of the movement to secure such a man, the sooner will this county join the ranks of progress in farm improvement and standard crop production.

A QUESTION FOR MR. BRYAN.

The Chicago Evening Post publishes the following editorial, directed to Mr. Bryan:

Have you noticed, Mr. Bryan, that Japan has been making a few demands upon China?

Possibly the matter has escaped your attention, sir, seeing that it has to do with the foreign affairs of the United States.

It is true, however, that Japan has been asking China to give up a great many of the things that make a nation's life worth living.

It has demanded that China shall engage Japanese advisers whenever it considers the taking of any important national step.

It has demanded that whenever Japanese subjects desire to lease or purchase land in China for their schools China shall grant their demands.

It has demanded that China shall in the future send her army officers to Japan to take up the purchase of arms in the establishment of joint arsenals.

These demands are but samples of those made by a small empire upon the largest empire in point of population in the world.

What would you advise doing, Mr. Bryan, if Japan should suddenly take it into her head to make upon the United States demands that similarly invaded our sovereignty?

Would you advise us to "wait a year," or would you admit that somehow we ought to resist those demands?

Do you realize that Japan is able to make such demands upon China and to win the major part of them simply because Japan is armed and China is not?

You have disagreed, Mr. Bryan, with the plans outlined for peace and the national defense by Mr. Roosevelt, Mr. Taft and Mr. Wilson. You condemn the ideas of the President of the United States and of the two living ex-Presidents.

What you have to offer in their stead becomes less and less clear, more and more confused, every time you speak or write on the subject.

What would you do—not say—if Japan should some day try to do to unarmed America what she has done to unarmed China?

AMBOY AND DIXON.

Amboy and Dixon are working together on their Fourth of July celebrations this year and the people of this part of the state can celebrate at both places. Amboy has a big race meet and Fourth of July celebration on Saturday, July 3rd, and Dixon will stage its big program of enjoyment on Monday, July 5th. This co-operative sentiment is a good thing for everyone concerned.

An argument between Mexico and the United States does not stir up much excitement now and the possibility of war from that quarter, while it is quite real, does not seem to concern the public greatly. The public is becoming quite nonchalant regarding war.

You may believe it or not, but business is picking up wonderfully. We can't give the democrats, bless 'em, credit for it, however. That bouquet must be handed to the bull moose. They are most accommodating.

Abraham Lincoln one time said that "It is sometimes well to be humble" and he also advised, "Beware of rashness." President Wilson is heeding the advice of the Great Lincoln.



ON THE BRIDGE.

I stood on the bridge at midnight, and looked at the sizzling town, where the pleasure seeking people were holding the sidewalks down. The moon rose over the city and shone on the dames and gents, but the glare of the lights electric made it look like twenty cents. The windows of homes were darkened, for no one was staying there; the children, as well as grownups, were all in the Great White Glare. Deserted were all the fireplaces, abandoned the old time game; alas, that the old home circle is naught but an empty name! The father is out chug-chugging, the mother is at her club, the kids see the moving pictures, and go to hotels for grub. How often, oh, how often, in the days that seemed good to me, have I looked at the children playing at home, where they ought to be! How often, oh, how often, in those days of the proper stamp, have I gazed on the parents reading, at home, by the evening lamp! But the world has gone to thunder, forgotten that elder day; and I took up the bridge and broke it, and threw all the chunks away.

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City In Brief

—During the summer months the E. J. Countryman store will remain open Wednesday and Saturday evenings. 14712

Mrs. Harry Wendel and mother went to Chicago Wednesday morning to visit friends and relatives.

F. X. Newcomer and Homer Sennett were in the vicinity of Amboy Wednesday on business.

Benjamin Day was here Wednesday from Peoria calling on friends. Mr. Day, a few years ago, was ticket agent at the Illinois Central station in this city.

I. B. Countryman's Oakdale Dairy Butter for sale at Geo. J. Downing's Grocery. 14711

States Attorney Harry Edwards was in Amboy Wednesday afternoon on business in connection with his office.

William Herrick went to Chicago Wednesday morning for a few days' stay.

Dr. F. M. Banker and wife motored down from Franklin Grove Wednesday afternoon.

Frank S. Brewer and wife of Ashton spent Tuesday evening in this city.

Mrs. M. N. Glenn, Leonard Glenn, Miss Lucy Hart and Frank Hart were here on Tuesday evening from Ashton.

Dr. R. L. Baird will go to Chicago this evening to spend the rest of the week.

Misses Olga and Myrtle Rice and Messrs Clinton Mossholder and Chas. Bishop will go to Chicago Saturday to witness the automobile race.

John Zeininger and Joe Sauer spent Wednesday in Freeport.

A. Bates spent the day with relatives in Franklin Grove.

John B. Clark and wife went to De Kalb this morning to attend the graduation exercises at the Northern Illinois Normal school, their daughter Miss Helen, being a member of the graduating class.

Kenneth Church and Fred Platten spent yesterday in Freeport.

Mrs. Hugh McIntyre of Amboy was here yesterday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed McIntyre on Sixth street.

Mrs. Charles Plott returned last evening from Chicago.

Mr. Alexander, vice president of the Illinois Northern Utilities Co., came out from Chicago last evening.

Miss Bess Eells came out from Chicago last evening.

Miss Alice A. Jensen went to Polo Wednesday to visit friends.

The Evening Telegraph, the Orange Judd Farmer and the Chicago Daily Tribune by mail for \$5.50. Telephone No. 5 your order.

J. W. Gooch came up from Sterling this morning in his machine.

Thomas McCade was down from Ashton last evening.

H. P. Utley, wife and Miss Utley of Sterling visited in this city last evening.

ROBERT LANSING

Secretary of State Ad Interim Is Made Bryan's Successor.



Photo by American Press Association.

DUNNILL TAKES TRAP SHOOT

Fox Lake Marksmen Is High Gun in Amateur Class.

Kankakee, Ill., June 24.—In the thirty-ninth annual tournament of the Illinois State Sportsman's association Bert Dunnill of Fox Lake, Ill., at nineteen yards, was high gun in the amateur class with ninety-nine, and Judge Shell of Carlinville at nineteen yards, second with ninety-six.

William Stannard was high professional from twenty-one yards with ninety-four and Bart Lewis and Tom Marshall second high with ninety-two.

ASKS TO SUE TAX DODGERS

Hoyne Wants Supreme Court to Compel Sabbath to Permit Information.

Springfield, Ill., June 24.—State's Attorney Hoyne filed a motion in the supreme court for leave to file a petition for mandamus to compel Judge Sabath of the municipal court to permit him to file tax informations. The state's attorney claims that unless this is done Cook county will lose a large amount of taxes which should be paid on personal property.

Convicted of \$500,000 Swindle.

New York, June 24.—David Essacson, head of the Kalos Manufacturing company of this city and Boston, was convicted by a jury before Judge Russell in the United States district court of using the mails in promotion of a swindle in which he is said to have got \$500,000 from men and women who were anxious to make a little money by "light artistic work" done at home.

Buy \$6,000,000 Explosives.

Chicago, June 24.—The Canadian Car and Foundry company will purchase \$6,000,000 of explosives from the Aetna Explosive company, the deal having just been closed.

Mrs. Wallace Vaughan, Miss Doty and Miss Madge Wolcott of Amboy were here today.

Mrs. Susan Lott of Franklin Grove was here yesterday.

Mrs. E. G. Hurdle of Polo was here Wednesday.

Do Not Grip We have a pleasant laxative that will just do what you want it to do.

Rexall Orderlies We sell thousands of them and we have never seen a better remedy for the bowels. Sold only by us, 10 cents.

C. M. Campbell & Son.

BIG LUMBER CO. CLOSES YARDS

Hines Com. Will Close Twenty Chicago Yards Monday Morning.

(Associated Press) Chicago, June 24.—Edward Hines Lumber Co. today announced that they will close twenty yards in the city Monday. Their action will be followed by similar action by other building material firms and 150,000 men will be thrown out of work. The firms claim to be losing money because of the carpenters' strike.

TRAINS MUST HAVE FIRST AID

Postmaster General Orders Mail Sent On Different Routes.

(Associated Press) Washington, June 24.—Because of reports that mails in transit through belligerent countries are being opened and censored, Postmaster General Burleson today directed that all the mails for Norway, Sweden, Denmark and Holland must be sent on vessels not touching belligerent ports.

AMBOY BOOSTERS HERE TODAY

Delegation With Band Advertising Race Meet and Picnic.

A large delegation of Amboy boosters came to Dixon this morning in several machines accompanied by a band advertising the race meet to be held in Green River park in that city Saturday, July 3. Posters and bills giving the race events to be pulled off were distributed and they proceeded to De menttown where the band played a few selections. The party then continued to Sterling.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL.

Donald, the young son of City Clerk Blake Grover and wife, was this morning removed from the hospital, where he submitted to an operation for the removal of his tonsils, to his home of East Fourth street.

Mrs. Snyder and daughter of Polo were here on Wednesday.

Lselle Hoak, who has been employed at Campbell & Son's drug store, will return to his home in Lanark tomorrow.

Healo, the most perfect foot powder on the market. Try a box. 11

MANHATTAN SHIRTS

"KNOWN AS THE BEST AND THE BEST KNOWN"



FINE Shirts are essential during the warm summer days.

Manhattan Shirts not only look well but fit and wear well—Colors are fast, beautiful patterns in the choicest silks and madras cloths are here ready for you

Soft or Laundered Cuffs, priced - \$1.50 upwards

Pure Silk - - \$2.50 to \$5.00

Emery Shirts in better than usual values-\$1 and \$1.25

LOOK FOR THE SIGN V. & O. VAILE AND O'MALLEY LOOK FOR THE SIGN V. & O.

ERECTING MODERN COTTAGE

Mrs. Louis Petre is to erect a modern six room stucco cottage on Fifth street just off Peoria avenue. A barn is being moved from one of Mrs. Petre's lots today and will form the foundation of the new structure. I. L. Shank, contractor, is doing the work.

John Drew of Palmyra was a Dixon business caller today.

Homer Sennett and J. U. Weyant were in Tampico this afternoon on business.

Harry C. Jones and wife returned this morning from their wedding trip to the central part of the state.

Rheumatism

Acute and Chronic, Arthritis Deformans, Sciatica, Are All Successfully Treated at

MUDLAVIA

Write for booklet giving complete information about the Mudlavia Treatment and statements from patients showing remarkable results. Address MUDLAVIA, Box T, KRAMER, Indiana.

Thirty Years Experience.

Michael Conroy was in from Walton yesterday.

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Bran Bread

HEALTH IN EVERY LOAF

10c DIXON SANITARY BAKING CO. 10c

UNUSUAL BARGAINS AWAIT YOU AT RUBENSTEIN'S JUNE CLEARING SALE

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Entire Stock Marked Down at PRICES YOU CANNOT AFFORD TO MISS

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STORE OPEN WEDNESDAY EVENINGS 120 FIRST STREET

Dramatic
Notes

FAMILY THEATRE.

One of the very best of a series of excellent programs will be seen at the popular Family theatre the last of this week, which will be in evidence for four days commencing Thursday. The new show is the quintessence of variety with singing, comedy, acrobatic and real class in prominent proportions. Miss Dixie Harris, the musical comedy favorite, is now taking a vaudeville plunge before re-entering rehearsals for the Fall season. The Three Bounding Pattersons is one of the funniest of the funny bounding trampoline acts. Two of the men offer a truly remarkable exhibition of the very latest attainments in this line of endeavor while the third member of the act goes through various comedy antics that keep the audience in an uproar. Last but not least come those irresistible girls, Hylands and Dale, with some stunning new gowns which will be the envy of the ladies and a delightful repertoire of new numbers which are delivered as only Hylands and Dale know how to put them over. Pictures tonight are "Ma's Girls," a Selig Western drama in two parts and "Martha's Romeo," a comedy with Watty & Art in the leading roles.

AT THE OPERA HOUSE

"The Convict's Daughter," will be presented again by the Enterprise Stock company at the opera house this evening. The pictorial program includes "His Captive," a two reel drama, and "Playmates," a novel juvenile comedy.

AT THE PRINCESS

Tonight the Princess theater has on its program a two reel Majestic drama entitled "The Living Death" with E. A. Turner and Billie West in the leading roles. A thrilling romantic story of a selfish father who tries to protect his only child and see his mistake after much intrigue and adventure. The other pictures are the Keystone comedy entitled "Love, Loot, and Crash," a comedy full of life and vim. The last reel is a Thanhouser drama entitled "Through Edith's Looking Glass," with Carey Hastings and Leland Benham in the leading roles. A story of a parable of conscience.

ELKS WILL INITIATE

Another big meeting of Dixon lodge No. 779 B. P. O. E. will be held Monday evening at 8 o'clock at which time a class of candidates will be initiated. A social session will follow the business meeting.

A. F. & A. M. SPECIAL

A special meeting of Friendship lodge No. 7, A. F. & A. M. will be held at 7 o'clock this evening for the purpose of conferring degrees.

MOVES HEADQUARTERS

Wilbur Pierce, who carries on a flourishing business with the auto truck and motor moving van, has changed his headquarters, and is now to be found at the Jones & Slain Undertaking rooms. He is prepared to fill all orders.

INCREASED TRAFFIC

Summer travel is picking up on the railroads. The noon train No. 13 on the Northwestern road due here at 1:05 p. m. was run in two sections Friday. The first section was made up of coaches, mail car, parlor car and a diner, while the second section was composed of Pullman and a diner.

WILSON SENDS THANKS
TO ILLINOIS ELKS

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we hereby express our confidence in the wisdom and patriotism of the President and pledge to him the unswerving loyalty and united support of the Elks of Illinois in whatever measures he may see fit to take to maintain the honor of the United States and the rights of American citizens.

JAMES A. FINLAN,
Secretary Ills. Elks Association
10 South LaSalle St., Chicago.
President's Reply.
The President's reply was:
Personal June 7, 1915.
My Dear Sir:

The President asks me to express to you and to all those concerned his hearty appreciation of and warm thanks for the generous message of approbation and pledge of support which you sent him in the name of the Illinois State Association of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks.

Sincerely yours,
J. P. TUMULTY,
Secretary to the President.
Mr. James A. Finlan,
Secretary,
Chicago, Illinois.

FRENCH STORM 3
TURK TRENCHES

Zouaves' Bayonets Sweep Dardanelles Positions.

LONG DEFENDED POINT GAINED

Musselmen's Attempts to Regain Lost Territory Fails After Desperate Day's Fighting—British Forces Give Efficacious Assistance—Foe's Losses Reported to Be Enormous.

Paris, June 24.—The following communique relative to operations at the Dardanelles was issued by the war office:

"The expeditionary corps in the Orient attacked after preparation by artillery. The infantry left their trenches with superb elan and our left carried at a single bound two lines of Turkish trenches, which they held in spite of numerous and violent counter attacks.

Zouaves Win With Bayonets.

"On the right, over more difficult terrain the fighting lasted all day and was carried on over lines of adverse earthworks razed by artillery. The Turks, continually bringing forward fresh troops, had succeeded by evening in retaking their intrenchments when a battalion of zouaves gave as assault with the bayonet and carried the position in ten minutes. This brilliant charge decided the success and put on end for the day to all Turkish efforts to regain their lost ground.

"In a counter offensive against our right the Turks were decimated without any advantage to themselves, and the day ended by success for us along the whole line. In spite of the fierceness of the fight we took prisoners, among whom were some officers.

"The cruiser St. Louis effectively bombarded the batteries on the Atlantic slopes. On our left the British army lent effective support.

Turks Lose Long Defended Position.

"Everything confirms the statement that the Turkish losses were very heavy. One important point is that standpoint within a very short time, the head of Kereves Dere, in which the Turks have defended desperately and regardless of costs for several months past."

OLD HAND. POSTER
RECALLS HISTORY
OF DIXON BRIDGES

POSTER ANNOUNCING "BRIDGE FESTIVAL" FOUND IN CITY HALL DESK.

TEN BRIDGES SWEEP AWAY

Rock River Has Enacted Heavy Toll From Dixonites Who Sought Crossing.

In cleaning out one of the desks in the city hall in which had been stored old documents and election registers, a large poster announcing a bridge festival to be held in the old Union hall on Christmas eve in 1863 for the purpose of raising funds to make repairs and for the completion of the piers of the free bridge across Rock river at the foot of Galena avenue, was found. The bill announces that Oliver Wagner's full band will furnish music for the dancers.

To the old timers of the city the poster revives the memory of early days, as on the committee of invitation to the festival appears the names of 48 prominent residents at that date. Of this number nearly all are deceased and the only man still living is Person Cheney. Jason C. Ayres was city clerk at that time and he has in his possession a souvenir ticket of admission to the festival hall. There was a large crowd in the hall on that evening.

First Bridge Erected.

The first bridge across Rock river in this city was built in 1846 at a cost of \$8,000 by the Rock River Dam & Bridge Co., at the foot of Ottawa avenue. The north half of it was carried away by a spring freshet March 20, 1847. The same summer it was rebuilt two feet higher than the old structure at a cost of \$2,000. This bridge stood until the spring of 1849, when the south half was taken out. In the summer of 1851 the south half was rebuilt four feet higher than the original bridge. The structure stood until the spring of 1857, when the descent of ice on February 24 carried it away.

Free Bridge Built.

During 1856 a free bridge was built by private parties across the river in what was known as Morrill Town, west of the present Illinois Central bridge. This structure was completed February 14, 1857, and was carried away in the June freshet. At this time both bridges, the one at the foot of Ottawa avenue and the free bridge below, were destroyed.

On May 23, 1857, James A. Watson began the erection of a foot bridge at the foot of Galena avenue, but money was raised and a wagon and foot bridge combined was built. November 28, 1857, two spans on the north end went down with two loaded teams and eight or ten head of cattle. This was repaired only to be swept away by the flood of June 3, 1858.

Bridge at Galena St.

According to the old files of the Telegraph on August 25, 1859, active operations were commenced on the erection of a bridge at the foot of Galena avenue to cost \$12,000 with Z. H. Luckey, contractor. Four months after it was completed, on Feb. 26, 1859, the dam gave way before an accumulation of ice, which together descended against the bridge and carried away two bents at one crash, and later two more were taken out. In the following August, 1860, a free bridge was commenced to take the place of the toll bridge taken out by ice in the previous winter. The completion of this bridge was embarrassed by not

having sufficient funds at command to carry the work forward. "Free bridge parties" were given and the proceeds added to the liberal contributions of the merchants. Finally the necessary sum (\$13,000) was raised and the bridge was thrown open to the public amid great rejoicing Jan. 1, 1861. This was an event in the history of Dixon. In referring to one of these parties appears the following account in one of the old files: "On New Year's eve a large 'free bridge party' was held at the Nachusa house which was so successful that the arrangements that had delayed the completion of the work was arranged." The object was accomplished so that at 4 o'clock in the afternoon of the next day, Jan. 1, the mayor and council, in sleighs and cutters, headed a large procession across the bridge accompanied by the sound of music and the thunder of cannon. About this time the lower bridge disappeared.

Meets Fate of Others.

On May 10, 1866, a middle span of the bridge went down with a drove of about one hundred head of cattle, all of which were thrown into the river and drowned. Repairs were begun on Dec. 2, 1867, by James Watson, but in the spring on March 7, 1868, the bridge was destroyed by high water and floating ice.

First Iron Bridge.

Through all these years, until the city erected the Truesdell iron bridge in 1868, nine bridges, all wood, resting upon wooden trestles or piers, had either wholly or partially been swept away by the treacherous waters of Rock river. This being the case the people finally came to the conclusion that they would erect a bridge which no flood could wash away. With much labor and expense piers and abutments of solid masonry were placed upon a solid foundation made by driving piles below the gravel and changing the bed of the river. Upon the piers and abutments was placed a handsome superstructure wholly of iron except the floors. The entire cost of the work to the city was \$75,000. There were five spans each 132 feet in length with a roadway of 18 feet and two walks on each side of five feet each. The opening of the bridge to the public was on January 21, 1869 and was celebrated by a procession a mile long headed by Father Dixon.

On Sunday, May 4, 1873, the bridge fell, precipitating about 200 men, women and children, who were witnessing a baptismal ceremony just below the bridge, into the stream without a moment's notice.

In the fall of 1873 the Howe truss wooden bridge was built at an expense of \$18,000 and was finished on November 18. This bridge was replaced by the present iron structure in 1885, erected by the Milwaukee Bridge & Iron works during the time J. V. Thomas was mayor of the city.

PROTECT UNITED STATES MAIL

Governor Signs Bills Providing for "First Aid Supplies."

(Associated Press)
Springfield, June 24.—Gov. Dunne today signed the bill providing that all passenger trains, and other trains in Illinois must carry first aid to the injured and medical supplies.

TO-PREACH FUNERAL SERMON

Rev. John Divan, pastor of the Grace Evangelical church, has gone to Chadwick to conduct the funeral of Mrs. Peter Rand, former parishioner.

Subscribe for the Telegraph. Delivered at your door for 10c a week. If you wish service call No. 5, the Evening Telegraph.

CARRANZA WILL
NOT TALK PEACE

First Chief Rejects Plans from United States.

WILL NOT TREAT WITH REBELS

Through Consul Silliman He Declared Villa and Zapata Rebels and Beyond Pale of Negotiations—Plan of President Goes Glimmering—Angels Also Banned by Carranza.

Washington, June 24.—General Carranza has informed the United States government, in dispatches to the state department through John R. Silliman at Vera Cruz, that he will not treat with General Villa or General Zapata.

This attitude of Carranza was undoubtedly discussed at the White House by the president and Secretary of State Lansing.

Some officials who are aware of the finality of Carranza's policy, expressed the opinion that it has sent the president's "get together" policy on the rocks, and that he must take up the Mexican situation from a new standpoint within a very short time. Holds Them "Rebels."

Carranza's position is that Villa and Zapata and their following are "rebels" and for that reason, as he is the government of Mexico, he can only dispose of them in a military way.

It also has been learned that Carranza is opposed to the plan of General Felipe Angeles and to Angeles himself as a factor in the final settlement of Mexico's troubles. The opposition of Carranza to Angeles was voiced by Rafael Nieto of the Carranza government, who is in Washington. Nieto was at the state department, but it is stated his call was personal and he did not discuss Mexican politics.

Official denial has been made through the Villa agency here of the reported break between Angeles and Villa. The confidential agency of Villa gave out telegrams received by Manuel Bonillo, a special commissioner of Villa now in this city.

Reported Slain on Mexican Train.

Washington, June 24.—From Vera Cruz Consul Canada reports a train on the narrow gauge line south had been fired on Monday and nineteen persons were reported killed. He also reported that the railway from Vera Cruz to Mexico City had been cut, preventing the leaving of two troop trains.

TRIBUNE RETRACTS ITS STORY

New York Paper Takes Back Charge About German Envoy.

New York, June 24.—The New York Tribune formally retracted the story it published several days ago that Dr. Anton Meyer-Gerhard, special envoy of Ambassador Bernstorff, was in fact Dr. Alfred Meyer of the German war office, and that the state department had been deceived in obtaining guarantees for his safe conduct to Berlin.

"And in doing so," said the Tribune, "we express regret for the distress which its publication during the present tense international situation has caused to Ambassador Von Bernstorff."

Wm. Meister of Ashton was here today.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to in this way express our sincere thanks to the many friends whose assistance and sympathy during the illness and death of our mother did much to relieve our sorrow.

Mrs. J. A. Johnson,
Miss Caroline Winden,
Ivar Winden,
Julius Winden.



Look in our Window--See the handsome Genuine Reed Carriage for Baby--Its a Royal Bargain at \$21.00--How Much will you give for it? The letter box is for your bid--write your name and address plainly with your offer and drop it in the letter box--The Box will be opened July 3rd --THE HIGHEST BIDDER GETS THE CARRIAGE--

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Fine white dimity very special 8c
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Another lot of those extra heavy Turkish 20c
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Covered jelly tumblers, 3 for . . . 5	Boys' swimming suits 10
Thousands of new post cards, 6 for 5	Joss sticks, 90 for 5
36 in. unbleached sheeting, yd. 7	Straw hat cleaner, 3 times . . . 10
Palmolive Soap, 2 bars 15	Dainty breakfast caps 10
Ladies' rubber bathing caps . . . 10	Condensed milk, 3 cans 25
Wire-screen paint, can 10	Shelf paper, 20 yards 5
Heavy cut table tumblers 3 for 25	Boys' union suits 25
Straw hats 10	Absorbent flannel, yd. 10
3 qt. enamel water pitchers . . . 25	Ladies' vests, 3 for 25
Powdered and fruit sugar, absolutely no starch, pkg. 10	17 in. pure linen glass towel-ing, yard 10
45 in. pillow tubing, yd. 20	Fire works and everything for July 4th 5 & 10
Good buggy whips 10	Cork sole bath slippers, pr. . . 25
	Table damask, new patterns, yd. 25

Zoeller's 5, 10, & 25c Store

FUNERAL FRIDAY AFTERNOON

Services Will Be Held For Mrs. Rebecca Boyer at 2 O'clock.

The funeral of Mrs. Rebecca Boyer, who passed away Tuesday evening, will be held at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Barbara Fry, Sixth street and College avenue, at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon. Rev. C. H. Day will officiate and burial will be at Oakwood cemetery.

CIRCLE WILL ATTEND.

All members of Dixon Circle No. 73 are requested to attend in a body the funeral of their late sister, Rebecca Boyer, at the home at 523 College avenue, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The Circle will hold its services for Mrs. Boyer.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

William A. Schuler to Arthur J. Hansen.

What Is the Best Remedy For Constipation?

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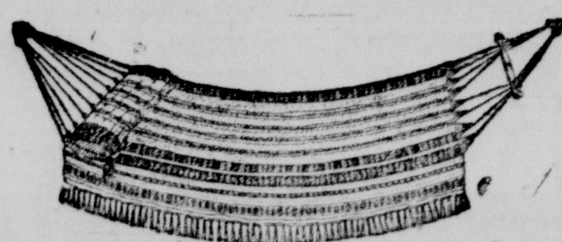
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Phone 25 Tillson's Drug Store

McCrystal wd \$2500 pt lot 2 blk 20 Dixon.

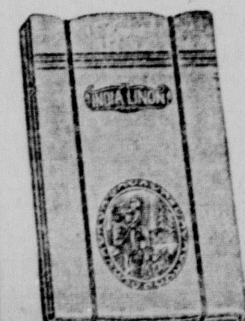
The Marquette orchestra furnished music for a dancing party in Sterling last evening.

CANVAS WEAVE HAMMOCKS



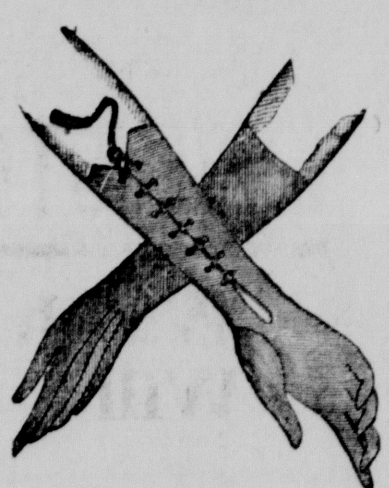
They are good and strong -- moderate in price
No 1--Curved Spreaders, at \$1.25
No 2--Pillow and Spreader, at \$2.00
No 3--Extra heavy and large, at \$2.50
No 4--Largest and heaviest, at \$3.00

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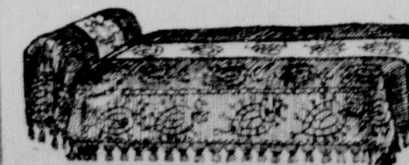
India Linen 10c - 15c
Apron Gingham 7 1/2c
Dress Gingham 10c
New Crepes 15c
Black and White Stripe Voile 15c

LONG GLOVES



Colors--Black or White
Medium grade Lisle, at 39c
Better grade Mercerized, at 50c
All Silk Double Tips, at 69c

COUCH COVERS



\$1.25 and \$1.50 each

I'll give you your money's worth every time you buy at my store. If you are not perfectly satisfied with purchase your complaint will be adjusted.

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LADIES UNDERWEAR

Mens Balbriggan Shirts & double seat Drawers, at 25c
Womens knit or muslin Drawers, at 25c
Childrens Summer Union Suits, at 25c



LACE CURTAINS

Womens Summer Vests 10c
Extra sizes at 15c
Two for 25c
Long sleeve Vests at 25c
Union Suits at 25c
Childrens Vests 10c

CURTAIN MATERIALS

Lace Curtains, pr. 50c
Better Grades up to, \$1.00 per pair

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HOSIERY FOR ALL THE FAMILY



Children's double knee Hose, pr 10c
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Racing Feet, black or white, 3 for 25c

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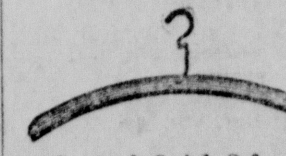
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Med grade .10
Better .15

Opaque Cloth WINDOW SHADES



Complete with fixtures ready to hang at - 25c

COAT HANGERS



Smooth finish 2 for 5c

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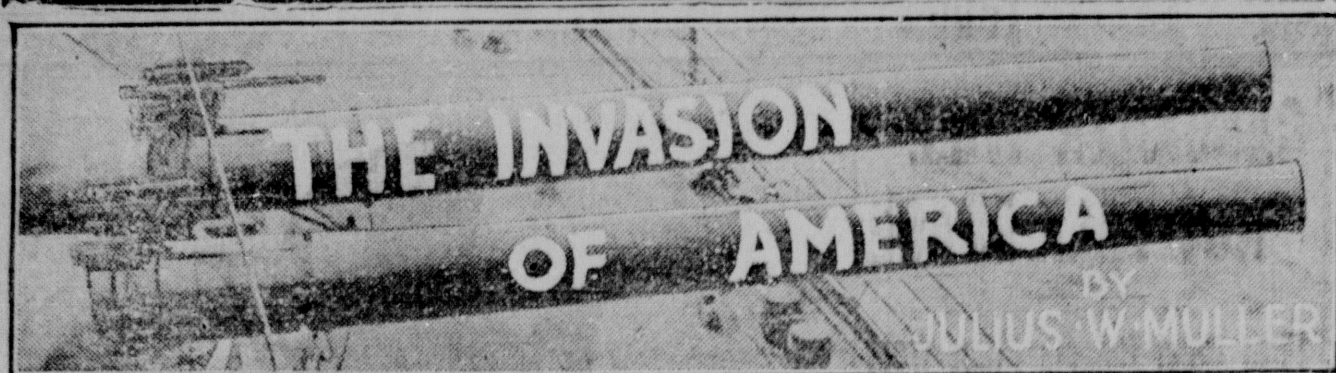
Comes in Black, Tan or White at choice - 9c

ENVELOPES



Med grade 50 for 5c
Better " 25 " 5c

Sash Curtain Rods 5c | Lace Curtain Rods 10c



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A Narrative Fact Story Based Authoritatively on the Inexorable Mathematics of War—What Can Be Done to Oppose an Invading Army With Our Actual Present Resources In Regulars, Trained Militia, Untrained Citizens, Coast Defenses, Field Artillery, and All Other Weapons of Defense.

CHAPTER III.

Attacked by the Enemy's Fleet.

NEVER, even in after years, was it determined whence the news of the enemy ships came first. Almost as easily might a land invaded by locusts have decided what eye first saw the coming cloud, or at what precise spot.

"Warship on horizon. Standing in. Slowly." It came from the keeper of Peaked Hill Bar life saving station at the far end of Cape Cod's sweeping sand arm. From the crest of the Navesink highlands, standing steep out of the Atlantic at New York's harbor entrance, men saw ships.

From his lantern 163 feet high the lighthouse keeper of Barnegat on the New Jersey coast, forty miles south of the Navesink, saw tops above his horizon. "Ships standing off here," came the word from Cape Ann, north of Boston. Philadelphia heard from Absecon light and cried to Washington that the enemy was preparing to land on its coast. Boston cried to Washington for ships and men. New York telegraphed and telegraphed again and sent delegations on a special train.

This coming invasion was unprovoked. The administration needed no party behind it now; for it knew that this was to be a fight for life, and that only the sword could decide. And it had given the sword to the army and navy without conditions.

"It is the least we can do," the president had said. "Long ago they warned the nation. The nation would not give them the tools they needed. Now that there is nothing left except to do their best, they shall be left to do it in their own way."

"The enemy fleet," said an official bulletin, "has expanded its line enormously to threaten many far separated points simultaneously and thus mask its actual design for landing. Our ships and air scouts and the army air scouts are trying to penetrate the screen of cruisers, destroyers and enemy air craft to find the real fleet with the convoys."

"But is this not a chance for the navy to attack the scattered enemy ships?" asked one.

"Opportunities may occur," answered the admiral, "but the business of our fleet is to keep itself in battle formation." [A tactical necessity for an outnumbered fleet.]

The seacoast cities read the bulletin and held their breath. Through the streets thundered their traffic as a

Boston and all the stretches of coast between them and beyond. It was exactly half past 10 when the first shot sounded. The last boom was heard at 11. Long before that bulletins had begun to tell that ships were shelling the coast. Duxbury Beach, near Boston, was being shelled. Long Branch and Astbury Park were bombarded. Amagansett on Long Island was in flames.

"It has stopped," said the bulletin then. "The ships have ceased firing." Then there came news from the harbor defenses. Two ships, said Plum Island at the east end of Long Island sound, had engaged the defenses at long range without effect. A ship had come in east of Coney Island, just outside of the zone of fire from Sandy Hook, reported Fort Hamilton, and dropped shells into Brooklyn suburbs.

Now the crowds were silent no longer. They stormed their city halls, roaring for soldiers. They tried to rush their armories, demanding weapons. To Washington flashed the dreaded news of mobs. "Troops must be sent at once," said the cities.

The old chief of staff, with "the bit in his teeth," dropped the dispatches on the floor. "Let 'em handle their own mobs," said he.

"Handle your own mobs," he said again to the boss from New York, who appeared with a flaming face. "We have swept together the stuff that you and your kind gave us in these past years. Up there—he pointed north—"In Connecticut our officers have been fighting to make an army of it—of battalions that have no regiments, of divisions that are not divisions, of rifle-men who never learned to shoot and of cavalry that never learned to maneuver. But even if all that mess were not a mess—if all these young men were fit to fight in the battle line this moment—there are not enough of them to guard even the water supply of New York and Boston." [This statement is based on official calculations.]

"Then you won't put any men into the city?"

"To defend a city from within is an act of desperation, no matter how big one's army is," said the general. "The place to defend a city is as far away from it as you can meet the enemy."

"But the newspapers say that you haven't men enough to stop him."

"Not if he comes in the force we expect—and he will be sure to come so. And remember—the cities are not the United States. Our business is to keep the army in the field for the Union, not

state force only one man had passed through the regular army qualification course with the rifle, and only twelve had qualified at long range practice. [From annual reports of rifle practice for 1914, militia organizations.]

"Brave?" said the hapless general of brigade who had them under his hands. "Brave? If we gave 'em the order they would charge an army with their bare hands, sir—and they might as well."

He fluttered a sheet of paper in his hand, hilly list. The sheet showed 25,353 organized militia enrolled as "trained men armed with the rifle." Of these 15,927 men had qualified sufficiently to be fit for firing in battle. There were a thousand men in that command whose records showed that they had not fired their rifles a single time in a year, and the general had reason to believe that many of these never had used weapons except as instruments of parade. [See tabulated returns published by war department, 1915.]

A mile away in the artillery encampment a field artillery battery of regulars from Fort Sill swept their guns at top speed through passages so tight that it seemed impossible for the flying wheels to clear them. Sharply they wheeled and came to position just as a militia battery arrived.

The militia guns were hauled by horses, that their state had hastily hired or bought. The brutes had hauled trucks in a city, and in trying to wheel one of them straddled the gun. In a moment the gun team was around and over the guns in a confusion of chains and leather.

"Do you stable your mounts on top of your guns in the millish?" shouted a regular gleefully. But he and his fellows helped good naturedly enough.

"We never had horses till now," growled one of the militiamen, who was stooping to tug at a trace chain. It made his face fiery red. "State wouldn't give us any, and we didn't have stables anyway in our armory. So we couldn't break in our mounts."

"Nor you couldn't break yourselves in, chum, I guess," spoke another regular. "How the devil did you get gunnery practice? Haul your little gun out by hand to the firing ground?"

The militiaman fumbled at the trace again. "Didn't fire it," he said without looking up. "They didn't think much of artillery at home; thought that infantry was all they needed. They sort of thought we just had a little toy to play with."

"You ain't going to be lonely, milsh," grunted the regular, sauntering off. "Tie a necktie around your horses and then go over yonder. You'll find three other batteries from three other states that never had no horses, never had no mounted drills and never qualified as gunners." [Understatement. Annual reports for 1915 show many practically useless batteries.]

A grizzled colonel of cavalry rode by. Under his shaggy eyebrows he shot a glance at the helpless battery and swore. He dated back to Indian times, and they said of him in the army that he knew nothing except cavalry tactics and horses. But he knew them, and he was breaking his old heart over the militia cavalry that had come under his command.

Some he had that were good enough to win his full praise, but none of these was full as to quota of men. The colonel of the best of the regiments was riding at his side. It was an organized force of rich men, each of whom had brought his own mount, trained as carefully as any cavalry horse and perfectly equipped. "Fine, sir, fine!" said the old Indian fighter. "But, oh! Wait till you see what arrived last week. They can ride! Yes, sir, they can ride. Heaven knows how they learned it, for they didn't ever have a mount except what they hired in livery stables. A rich state, too, and one that did its infantry well, sir. It was supposed to be a regiment of cavalry that we were to get. Do you know what arrived? Two squadrons! And, sir, they came afoot. They served a state that evidently prefers horseless cavalry." [Annual report militia organization, 1915. An eastern seaboard state.]

He chewed the cigar and threw it away. "Look over there!" he continued. "See those chaps? They were among the first to come to us. Yes, sir. The entire cavalry force of that state came out—the entire force, you understand. Do you want to know how many there were? Three troops—three troops—confound me, sir! Not a whole squadron. But as these three troops were in three different parts of the state they hadn't even been drilled to move together in their little three troops as one body. We're just getting 'em so that they can ride in squadron without smashing into some other troop and crumpling the whole outfit to hades." [Tables given in war department statistics, 1915.]

Even while the old cavalry leader was swearing a delegation of civilians, sent to visit the camp officially, was gathered at headquarters. The visitors were haggard and worried; but, with the ever ready optimism of the extraordinary American race, the most worried one of them all said: "A splendid army. Looks fit to fight for its

life. We are sure that you will give a good account of yourselves, general, against any force."

The major general did not reply. In the immediate line of his vision lay the sanitary camp. There, beside his own regulars, lay sanitary troops of the state militia that had come into camp without ambulance companies, without field hospitals, without medical supplies. He thought of one regiment (a regiment on paper, seven companies in reality) that had appeared without even its service outfit of shoes and overcoats. Two whole state divisions, had they gone into action on their own strength, would have had no ambulances at all to carry off their wounded. One division, formed from a state that had done better than most with its militia, arrived for war with two field hospitals short and lacking seven full ambulance companies. Even the richest state of the seaboard states had left its organized force short both a field hospital and an ambulance company. Not one of all the militia forces from all the states had ambulances enough. [Extracted from tabulated returns to war department. Report on militia organization, 1915.]

The soldier looked up at the sky. "Lord, Lord!" he muttered, not impulsively. "An extravagant land. As extravagant with its lives as with everything else."

There was only one thing in which that army was pre-eminent and perfect. It was in the matter of transport. Within an hour of the declaration the army had swept the coast states from New Jersey to Maine clear of everything serviceable that had wheels.

The army might not be able to withstand a blow, but it could dodge. It could know, too, in time to dodge. Its own trained intelligence department was supplemented by 10,000 and more untrained observers and watchers, who tried to make up for their lack of technical skill by keen intelligence, alertness, adventurous daring and unlimited private means.

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CHANCERY.

State of Illinois, Lee County, ss. In the Circuit Court, September Term, 1915.

Christopher A. Lebkuchner vs. Tilly Lebkuchner. In Chancery No. 3187.

Affidavit of non-residence of said Defendant having been filed in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, notice is therefore hereby given to the said non-resident defendant that the Complainant filed his bill of complaint in said Court on the Chancery side thereof, on the 26th day of August, A. D. 1914, and that thereupon a Summons issued out of said Court, returnable on the 4th of the month of January, A. D. 1915, as is by law required; which cause is now pending and undetermined in said Court.

E. S. ROSECRANS,

Clerk.
Dixon, Illinois, June 9th, 1915.
GROVER W. GEHANT,
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STEWART NEWS

Stewart, June 22—Mrs. G. W. Kimball is visiting her parents at La Porte, Indiana.

Mrs. Annie Schoenholz is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. Hensie, at Rochelle.

Mrs. Harrison entertained the Sunday school Bible class at her home Thursday afternoon.

Miss Vivian Stiles is entertaining a lady from Rochelle.

Mrs. Henry Sherlock left Monday for Iowa to spend two weeks with relatives.

The Domestic Science club met with Mrs. U. S. Shearer Friday after

noon.

Mrs. Fallman and children spent several days last week with relatives in Polo.

Mrs. Mary F. Burd is visiting her son William and family at Compton.

Mrs. L. A. Herrick and daughter Mabel spent Wednesday with Rochelle friends.

AMBOY NEWS

Amboy, June 22—Preparations are being carried forward rapidly, for a big picnic June 30, to which everyone in Lee county is invited. While it is promoted by the Farmers club and Commercial club of this city, it is hoped that every family in the county will be represented on that day in a "get-together" meeting and at least become better acquainted and boost for a soil expert, who would be such an all round benefit to the farming community. This picnic will be held in Amboy's beauty spot, Green River Park, where tree coffee cream and sugar will be served at the dinner, to which all are heartily welcome.

Mrs. Sheid of Freeport spent Sunday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Albert Weise.

Mrs. Rambo and granddaughter have returned from a visit in Mendota.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hogan of Freeport spent Sunday in this city.

Mrs. James Thompson of Minneapolis, mother of Mrs. Frank McCreary of Jefferson avenue, passed away yesterday morning at the home of the latter. The deceased was on a visit to this city, when taken ill.

Her husband, two sons, and two daughters, were with her at the time of her death. The funeral will take place in Minneapolis tomorrow, and interment will be in that city.

George B. Erwin, auditor of the Borden Condensed Milk Co., was here Wednesday from Monroe, Wis., visiting his brother, Attorney John E. Erwin, and sisters.

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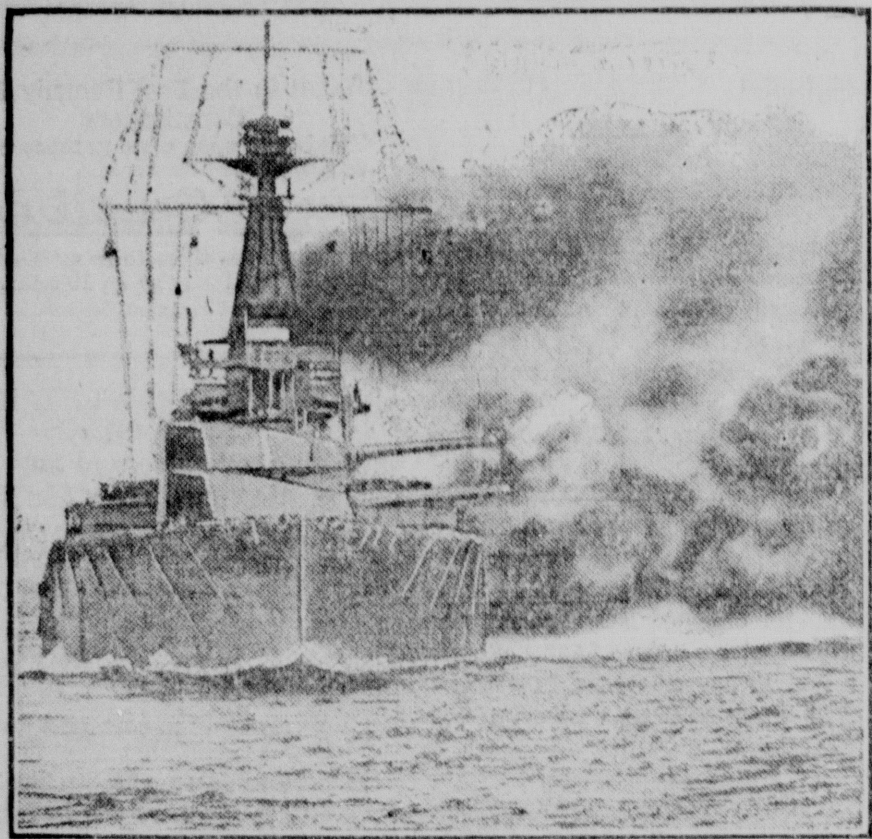
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SUDDENLY THAT BROODING AIR WAS SHAKEN. ONE! TWO! THREE!

peace, but the exchanges were closed—had closed half an hour after opening in panic.

The banks were closing. The streets leading to the railroad stations from the financial centers were clogged by slowly moving but maddly crowding automobiles and cabs and trucks. On one open truck, guarded by half a dozen men who showed automatic pistols ostentatiously, were bags of gold. The United States subtreasuries were being emptied. Men tore at securities in their safe deposit vaults and stuffed them into valises and run. The treasure of the cities was being sent inland.

In front of the newspaper offices stood the citizens. There was no sound from them except for the voices of those who passed the news on. A man looking from a high window in a newspaper office suddenly stepped back with a choking in his throat. "It is—it is," he said and choked again, "as if they were waiting for the end of the world."

It was a still, warm morning heavy with the soft, humid air that early spring lays on the cities of the sea. Suddenly that brooding, heavy air was shaken. One! Two! Three!

Afterward when men compared the time they knew that it was heard at the same instant at New York and

for New York or Boston or even Washington. There is a price to be paid—and perhaps the cities must pay it."

There, in Connecticut, lay the army, looking formidable enough. It would have seemed a very harmonious, solidly welded whole, that army, to any layman who could have had a birdseye view of its businesslike assembly, its great parks of artillery, its full corrals of mounts, its endless rows of tents and equipment and its enormous trains of transport vehicles and ambulances.

But at one end of that great, orderly, formidable camp were hordes of organized militia firing at targets. With the enemy on the coast, these men were still being broken in to shoot—not to become sharpshooters, but to qualify merely as second class marksmen, that they might at least learn enough about the use of their rifles to be not entirely useless in battle. [From tabulated returns by the militia departments of twelve eastern states.]

Into that camp had marched a month before, with flags flying, bands gallantly playing, weapons gleaming, one whole state's militia organization of which only 700 men had fired regularly in practice during the whole preceding year. Only 525 of even that small number had qualified as shots, and more than a thousand were carried as utterly unqualified. Of that entire

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LOST. Sunday, June 13, crescent-shaped brooch, set with pearls, in M. E. church or between church and 214 Third St. Mrs. R. C. Caughy, 214 Third St. 1473

MRS. FAIRBANKS' KIN KILLED

Sister-in-law of Terre Haute Millionaire Brewer Auto Victim.

Terre Haute, Ind., June 24.—Mrs. Jennie Turner, age seventy-four, sister-in-law of Crawford Fairbanks, the millionaire brewer, was instantly killed when struck by an automobile driven by A. Dale Houff, a prominent business man.

Witnesses of the accident said the woman became confused as she started across the street and stepped in front of the approaching auto.

J. P. Morgan Partner Dead. Hartford, Conn., June 24.—James J. Goodwin, aged sixty, a cousin and former business partner of the late J. Pierpont Morgan is dead here.

TIME TABLE

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RY.

Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight. Daily except Sunday

South Bound.

Local Express, Dly ex Sun 7:15 a. m.

123 Southern Exp. 11:10 a. m.

121 Clinton Exp. 5:10 p. m.

North Bound.

132 Waterloo Exp. 10:05 a. m.

120 Local Exp. 5:10 p. m.

120 Local Exp. 8:19 p. m.

Freight Freight 12:30 p. m.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.

Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. Daily except where otherwise specified:

East Bound to Chicago.

No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Chicago

6 2:23 a. m. 6:45 a. m.

24 6:23 a. m. 9:05 p. m.

28 7:21 a. m. dly ex Sun 10:30 a. m.

18 8:05 a. m. 11:00 a. m.

10 11:19 a. m. dly 2:00 p. m.

20 11:01 a. m. dly ex Sun 2:25 p. m.

4 4:21 p. m. dly ex Sun 7:25 p. m.

100 4:15 p. m. Sun. only 7:25 p. m.

12 6:10 p. m. 8:45 p. m.

West Bound.

No. Lv. Chicago Ar. Dixon

5 7:00 a. m. ex Sun 10:20 a. m.

99 7:10 a. m. Sun only 10:23 a. m.

12 10:30 a. m. 1:05 p. m.

19 12:15 p. m. dly ex Sun 3:24 p. m.

27 4:20 p. m. dly ex Sun 7:26 p. m.

11 6:05 p. m. 8:40 p. m.

25 6:10 p. m. 8:57 p. m.

17 9:35 p. m. 11:53 p. m.

* 10:09 p. m. 12:28 a. m.

3 10:45 p. m. 1:57 a. m.

No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Peoria

801 8:30 Peoria Pas 12:05 p. m.

AMBOY NEWS NOTES

Amboy, June 23.—Thomas Machen of North Plant street, is seriously ill and has been confined to his home for some time.

Miss Agnes Hogan went to Dixon today to visit friends.

Mrs. Joe Nally of Dubuque is visiting relatives in Walton and vicinity.

Mrs. Charles Newton and son John are home from a vacation spent in Alton.

Miss Nellie Lavell expects to go to DeKalb soon, to attend the summer school for teachers. She will be accompanied by Miss Maud Reilly.

Mrs. Ellen Burns will improve the buildings on her farm in Maytown by a fresh coat of paint, this week.

The Alumni of the Ohio schools held a dancing party Monday evening to which a number of Amboy people were invited, and all who attended spent a very enjoyable evening. See-lig's orchestra furnished the music.

Mary O'Rourke of Freeport is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lavell.

Osborne Bedient is visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Edith Fell of Lee Center.

Mrs. K. Zoph of Franklin Grove was shopping in this city today.

Albert Rosier, Gipson and several other boys are having a jolly week, camping in the grove, east of the city.

ASHTON ITEMS

Ashton, June 23.—Ashton community Chautauqua ended last evening with a fine program. The Stratford Opera Company gave a short program. Then Mr. Persons of Casonovia, N. Y., talked on how we can improve our town. The first improvement he suggested was making our station and its surroundings attractive. Then he considered the telephone and electric light poles unsightly on our thoroughfares. He would have them placed in back yards and painted a dark green to harmonize with the foliage. The public buildings he would have all painted a neutral shade, and suggested cream color. A Community house was his ideal for our town and he urged the men of the community to build one. For the women of the community he suggested the task of starting a public library.

After Mr. Persons' address the Stratford Opera company gave "The Mikado," to a good sized audience. The public was delighted with "The Mikado."

Mrs. Yates of Dixon returned home this morning. She has been a guest of Mrs. Emily J. Walker for the past five days and attended the Chautauqua.

Miss Hilda MacIntosh has returned home from Lake Forest, where she has been attending college.

Miss Heinz of Dixon is a guest of Miss Lucile Jennings.

Miss Janette Nickey came yesterday from Los Angeles, Cal. She stopped at Mt. Vernon, Ia., on her way here to visit Miss Lucile Randall.

Miss Randall is taking a special course in voice of a very fine teacher at Cornell College.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Menz of Rochelle visited relatives in Ashton Monday.

Jacob Schafer with his sisters, Mrs. Mary Vaupel and Lena of Dy-sart, Ia., came last week to visit their father, George Schafer, Sr., and other relatives and friends.

The school lawn is being mowed. It is a much needed improvement and shows off the beauty of the shrubbery.

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist Episcopal church will be entertained this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Gooch.

Mrs. Ervin Roesler's brother of Freeport is spending the summer with Mr. and Mrs. Roesler while his parents are attending the Panama Exposition.

Miss Grace Williams is entertaining a girl friend from Amboy.

SUNNYSIDE NOTES

Sunnyside, June 22.—Mrs. Leland Brink was a Dixon shopper Monday.

The Hussey brothers of Franklin Grove were calling on acquaintances here Friday afternoon.

Miss Vernie Dockery of Polo was entertained last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Brink.

Mrs. Scheffler and daughter Ruth, visited with friends near Eldena Sunday.

Mrs. Ralback T. N., who for the past several weeks has been at the Matzinger home, went to Dixon Sunday.

Miss Ruth Parker was in Dixon on Saturday.

Mrs. Scheffler and son Frank were callers in Dixon Saturday.

Alva Hefey of Dixon visited with Bertie Wright on Monday.

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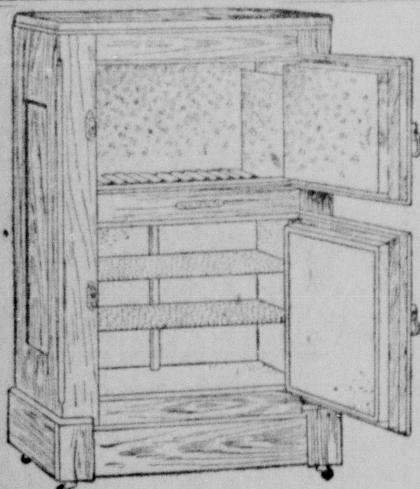
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Quicksand Under Street.

East St. Louis, Ill., June 24.—The caving in of the brick and concrete crust of Tenth street at Trendley avenue, was attributed by Thomas J. Canavan, president of the board of local improvements, to quicksand, which he said he believed was used in the construction of the street.

Hurley Must Stand Trial.

Lincoln, Ill., June 24.—The motion to quash the indictment for murder against Daniel Hurley Jr., charged with the murder of Katherine Keller, was denied by Judge Harris. Hurley is accused of poisoning his sweetheart during a buggy ride on April 26.

Crowds See Church Dedication.

Peoria, Ill., June 24.—Two thousand people gathered about the site of the First Methodist Episcopal church to witness the laying of the corner stone. The police department had stopped traffic within a block of the building on each side.

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Danville, Ill., June 24.—Rev. B. F. Clinton, a Methodist minister who is out on bail following his arrest on the charge of taking two auto lighting tanks, has announced that he will quit the ministry and take up the study of law. His resignation as pastor of the joint Methodist charges at Kingman and New Salem, tendered Monday, has been accepted by the church board.

Clinton asserts he is innocent. His marriage to Miss Idell Hesler of Veedersburg, which was to have been solemnized Wednesday night, has been put off at his request, according to Miss Hesler. She believes he is innocent of any wrongdoing.

Masonic Hospital to Be Dedicated.

Sullivan, Ill., June 24.—With three Masonic grand lodges in joint convocation for the first time, and many thousand members of the orders in attendance, the newly completed Royal Arch Memorial hospital will be dedicated at Sullivan July 5. The institution will be an adjunct to the Masonic home and was erected by the grand chapter at a cost of \$50,000.

Hard Road Work to Go On.

Canton, Ill., June 24.—In spite of the amendment to the Tice road law passed by the state legislature last week to the effect that various counties can choose whatever materials they wish for road improvement, instead of being compelled to follow plans imposed arbitrarily by the state, the hard road movement is likely to go on in this vicinity.

Big Illinois Apple Crop Predicted.

Bloomington, Ill., June 24.—Central Illinois horticulturists report favorable prospects for a record yield of apples in Central Illinois. The trees are loaded with the fruit and there has been no evidence of the codling moth so far. All fruits are thriving this season, the frequent showers proving highly beneficial.

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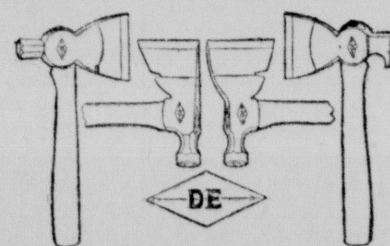
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